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For: COMPOSITION FOR THE CARRYING AND DELIVERY OF BONE GROWTH INDUCING MATERIAL AND METHODS FOR PRODUCING AND APPLYING THE COMPOSITION	: : : : :	

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO AUGUST 8, 2007 OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:

This Amendment is filed in reply to the Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 8, 2007 in connection with the above-identified patent application. The August 8, 2007 Office Action provided a period of 3 months in which to file a response, i.e., by November 8, 2007. A Petition for a three-month extension of time is being filed herewith. Accordingly, a reply is now due by February 8, 2008 and this Amendment is being timely filed.